

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
B.S.A.

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DATE March 3, 1968

Full Name LEWIS JOHN ALEXANDER BERO

(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

- Subject also known as, Alexander Lewis Bero and Alex J. Bero, -as well as John L. Bero.

Address Bombay, New York - Formerly of 24 Park Street, Malone, N.Y.

City _____ State _____

Age 35 (DOB 7/13/32) (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Catholic Nationality Canadian Indian - St. Regis Reservation.

Occupation Laborer - Laundry Worker. Last employed at Alice Hyde Hospital Malone, New York

Education 8th Grade

Weight 175 Color Red - Dark Complx. Height 5'10 1/2"

Color of hair Black Color of eyes Brown

Outstanding characteristics or interests _____

Married or single Single Children -
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name - - -

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date Reg'd.</u>	<u>Date resigned</u>
Troop 70	Hogansburg	N.Y.	Ass't SM	2/65- 2/66	
"	"	"	Scoutmaster	2/66-2/67	
"	"	"	Scoutmaster	2/67-2/68	

Special recognition _____

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

see previous letter from State Police - He is currently in a mental institution in Ogdenburg

Signed Foster H. Chase
Scout Executive

GC-294-31

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March 15, 1968

Mr. Foster H. Chase
Scout Executive
Adirondack Council, No. 394

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Fos:

Thank you for your note of March 5 in which you enclosed the confidential record sheet and additional information concerning Alex Bero (Lewis John Alexander Bero). We have placed this information in our files.

This completes our records and will enable us to identify this individual should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program. Thanks for your kind cooperation.

Sincerely yours,
PERSONNEL & TRAINING DIVISION

Howard Boyd
Director of Registration

HB/clr

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March 3, 1968

Dear Foster:

Enclosed is the form on Alex Bero. Thought I would Mail it, in case I can't make it down to Saranac Lake in the early part of the week.

In the event it is wanted, Alex wears glasses. He has scars as follows: 2" scars on both sides of abdomen, 2" scar above right knee, 3" scar on upper left arm, 3" scar on left shoulder, 6" scar left armpit and 2" scar on lower lip.

His parents were Peter and Agatha Hattie Bero, St. Regis, Quebec, both of whom are deceased. His Social Security Number is [REDACTED].

Regards,

Harold Osborn
Harold Osborn

N.Y. State Police



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Boy Scouts of America
New Brunswick, N.J. 08903

Dear Howard:

Here is the follow-up concerning Alex Bero.

Hope there are no more of these around the
Adirondack Council, BSA.

The New York State Police are most coopera-
tive if any other detail is needed.

Sincerely yours,

Foster H. Chase
Foster H. Chase
Scout Executive

FHC:lc

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February 26, 1968

Mr. Foster H. Chase
Scout Executive
Adirondack Council, No. 394

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Fos:

Thank you for your letter of February 19 and the letter you forwarded from Police Captain Osborn concerning Alexander Bero, currently registered as Scoutmaster of Troop 70 in Hogsburg. We have placed this information in our files and have taken steps to have his name deleted from the Troop roster.

Enclosed is a confidential record sheet which we would appreciate your filling out and returning to us as soon as possible. This additional information will enable us to identify this individual should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely yours,
PERSONNEL & TRAINING DIVISION

Howard Boyd
Director of Registration

HB/clr
Encl.

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February 19, 1968

Mr. Howard Boyd, Director
Registrattinn Service, B.S.A.
New Brunswick, N.J.

Dear Howard:

Enclosed you will find a note from the
State Police concerning Alexander Berq.

He was registered with us as a Scoutmaster Troop
70, St. Regis Parish Holy Name Society, Hogansburg,
N.Y. to Feb. 1968. Needless to say he should be
placed on the confidential file.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Foster H. Chase
Foster H. Chase
Scout Executive

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
NEW YORK STATE POLICE

February 15, 1968

TROOP B
MALONE

Mr. Foster Chase
Boy Scouts of America
75 Main Street,
Saranac Lake, New York 12983

Dear Mr. Chase:

This concerns our recent conversation regarding Alex Bero, who has been connected with Scouting activities in the Malone and Hogsburg areas.

His true name is Lewis John Alexander Bero, Date of Birth July 13, 1932 but he also uses the name of Alexander J. Bero. In recent years, he has lived at R. F. D., Bombay and in the Village of Malone.

On October 4th and 9th, 1967, Alex was indicted by the Franklin County Grand Jury on two counts of Sodomy Second Degree. The indictments resulted from his arrest by the Malone Police Department during the early part of the summer that year. On February 5, 1968, Alex plead guilty to a reduced charge of Assault Second Degree with Intent to Commit Sodomy, before a session of the Franklin County Court in Malone.

On February 5, 1968, Alex was arrested again on a warrant charging him with Sodomy First Degree by the State Police at Malone, whereupon he was committed to the Franklin County Jail.

All the charges involved different young boys, who were under the age of 16, some of whom were connected with Scout Troops in Malone.

I hope the above information will be of assistance to you.

Very truly yours,

Harold M. Osborn
Harold M. Osborn - Captain.

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